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CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.6(d): I hereby certify that this correspondence is being sent via facsimile to (703) 872-9306, Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, Attn: Examiner Shelly A. Chase, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on June 25, 2004.

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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents Attn: Examiner Shelly A. Chase P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 26, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.